**OVERVIEW OF USED TO,BE USEDTO, GET USED TO**

1. I live in Italy.

Before moving here, I lived in Canada.

**I used to live in Canada.**

1. I eat pasta almost every day.

When I lived in Canada I did not eat pasta almost every day.

**I didn’t use to eat pasta almost every day when I lived in Canada.**

1. When you were a child did you eat pasta every day?

**Did you use to eat pasta every day when you were a child?**

\*We use **used to** to talk about something that was true in the past and not true now or vice versa, that was not true in the past and is true now.

Be careful that after the auxiliary verb, we must use the infinitive, i.e. **Did you use to go** to the seaside every day when you were younger?

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Let’s not get confused with **to be used to doing something** (essere abituato) and **to get used to doing something** (abituarsi). These have a completely different meaning and can be used with the past, present and future tenses.

I wasn’t used to doing online lessons.

I am getting used to doing online lessons. (still in the process)

I am used to doing online lessons. (It is not difficult for me anymore.)

I finally got used to doing online lessons.

I will never get used to doing online lessons.

WRONG: ~~I use to have biscuits and milk every morning.~~

RIGHT: I usually have biscuits and milk every morning.

***Would***

We can use *would* to talk about repeated past actions that don't happen any more.

*Every Saturday I would go on a long bike ride.*  
*My dad would read me amazing stories every night at bedtime.*

*W ould* for past habits is slightly more formal than *used to.*It is often used in stories. There is no negative or question form of *would* for past habits. Note that we can't usually use *would* to talk about past states.

To practice using this grammar to the following links:

<https://www.perfect-english-grammar.com/used-to-exercise-1.html>

<https://www.perfect-english-grammar.com/used-to.html> (Read the grammar explanation first)

Then move on to Unitv 6B. Do what you can from this unit including the Grammar Ban k exercises.

Do the Revise and Check Units 5&6.

Listen to “It’s All Over Now” by the Rolling Stones.

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Have a good week. Would love to hear from you.

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